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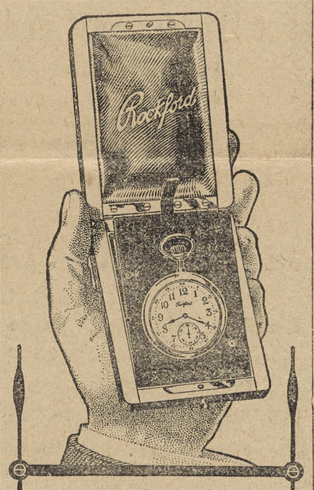

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Tree Planting

State Forester G. Morris Homans ays: "Tree planting in park strips between the curb and sidewalk is the easiest, surest and cheapest way to beautify a city. The more beautiful a city is made, or any particular section of a city, the more rapid is the return in property values. Ultimately this means more money in the pockets of all citizens and especially of those who own their own homes.

"There are many who think civic landscape improvement should be left to the respective individual property owners. A little study and consideration on your part will convince you of the fallacy. Some people are enterprising others are not Some own their own homes. others do not. But even if every one was active in beautifying the strip in front of his property, still it would be better to have the city do the work, for most people have neither the time nor the experience necessary to obtain results. More over there is no one tree, nor group of trees. nor no one method of planting, which to the well-meaning citizen could, unless organized, agree upon.

"In some cities, Improvement Associations, formed of the progressive and public citizens either on one street or in some particular neighborhood have rendered most excellent service. If the city is large enough the services of a trained gardner should be secured. There are many smaller cities and towns, however, not yet able to secure the services of an expert, that are in great need of a more uniform system of street ornamentation

"The first thing to decide, is the specie or species of trees to be planted. Then the trees must be such as will flourish in city conditions of smoke, gas, etc. The stem must be erect and straight, the crown compact and symmetrical. Do not select trees of untidy habits, that are always shredding bark, leaves or fruit. The trees must not be brittle, for each tree, growing alone, gets the full force of the wind and storms. The trees to be chosen must not be one that tends to disrupt the pavement, curb. sidewalk and sewer with its roots.

"Is your vacant lot attractive and your back fences sightly? California town and cities, already justly famous for their beauty, could be made more attractive still by intelligent united and well directed efforts of the public spirited citizens, along the lines of street improvements."

Look Out Mr. Merchant

On California's statute books is a measure making it unlawful to misrepresent the value and quality of goods offered for sale by a merchant. It was passed by the legislature two years ago and recently first applied, a merchant of Los Angelis being the guilty person. According to the complaint he offered newly unpacked blue serge suits for $5.95, the value having been placed at $15. A patrolman made the purchase, it was submitted to an expert on wool, who said the suit was shoddy and was worth but $3.00. The defendant declares that it is impossible to advertise a $15 00 suit at that figure and sell it at a like sum. He is going to test the law. Other merchants in that city are somewha alarmed over the matter.

Fruit Growers' Convention

Much prominence is given in the program for the annual convention of the fruit growers of California which is to be held in Santa Rosa on December 19th to 22nd, subjects that are of vital importance to the growers

One matter that will be up for discussion will be the formation of a Deciduous Fruit Growers' League, along similar lines to the citrus fruit men of the southern part of the state. Other matters have already been outlined.

County Horticultural Commissioner Allen R. Gallaway is doing much in assisting State Commissioner Cook in the arrangement of the details of the program Mr. Gallager has the reputation of being one of the most energetic and pains taking counly commsssioners in the State and "is always on the job" guarding the fruit interests of this county.—Healdsburg Enterprise.'

Notes From Schellville Chicken Colony

Note:—The following items arrived at this office too late for publication in our last issue.—Ed.

SCHELLVILLE, Nov. 26.

Mr. Lingo spent Thanksgiving in Oakland with his family.

Mrs. A. C; Storm of Buena Vista, was calling on Mrs. Kennedy, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Haines returned Saturday, Nov. 25th from their two weeks stay in Oakland.

Several sales of land were made last week and people are coming in faster than the buildings can be made ready.

Mr, C. P. Cradick is away from the Colony for several days and will take Thanksgivings dinner with friends ere his return.

A carload of lumber arrived this week and another expected soon, which looks as though building was not to stop as long as the good weather holds good.

J. W, Sharp. our expert, went to the city Sunday, Nov. 24th, and returned Monday. He secured market for a large number of chix, which he took down Tnesday morning. He will make another shipment December 4th

Mr. R. G. Johns and wife went to Oakland Saturday, returning Monday morning. While there they visited the poultry show, being held in Alameda. They report a grand show and bring back much valuable information that will help the colonists in many ways.

A special meeting of the Schellville Improvement Club" was called Monday evening, Nov. 27th. Dr. B. S. Nourse was elected president; Mrs. C. D. Haines, vice-president; and Mr. H, H. Lingo, secretary and treasurer. Some resolutions were passed and a committee apointed to draft a constitution, by-laws, etc. The Club will meet every two weeks on Thursday evenings.

Quite an excitement was created last Friday Nov. 23rd, by the running away of the horse of Surveyor Lewis. He becamefrightened in some way and made a dash nearly running over Mr. Lewis. who stood at his head. He ran the extreme length of the colony grounds, but was caught by B, Darling just before he reached the main road when about to run into a tangled bed of barb wire. As it turned out, no damage was done to either horse or buggy.

TERAGRAM K.

Narrowly Escapes Death

M. L. Lonegan, of this city on Thanksgiving day while returning from a business trip to Glen Ellen narrowly escaped being hurled to death.

He wrs driving his fast little trotter, which was hitched to his rubber-tired buggy, when one of the lines came untastered from the bridle and the horse ran away, striking the rig againust the abutment of a bridge, hurling Mr, Lonegan into a ditch and against a lumber pile. When the rig struck the ditch it turned completely over and righted itself, leaving Mr. Lonegan and his companion. whose name we were unable to ascertain, bruised and battered in the ditch while the horse raced madly on with the broken buggy dragging on behind for several miles before it was finally stopped.

Mr. Lonegan sustained several bruises about the left arm and shoulder, but is recovering rapidly and is able to be about. The unknown man sustained a sprained ankle.

The horse was uninjured, but the buggy was badly demolished.

St Francis Church

CHANGE IN TIMB OF SERVICES.

Commencing with Sunday, Oct. 1 the services at St. Frances' church will be as follows:

First Sunday of month, 8:30 a.m
The remai ning Sundays, 10:30 a. m

Mass at Glen Ellen, first Sunday of month at 10:30 a. m. The remaining Sundays at 8:45 a. m.

See Parrent for good clothes the Ladies' and Gents' tailor, 427 Napa St., Sonoma. 1 tf.

Superior Court News

Judge Thomas C. Denny called the calendars in both departments of the Superior Court Monday owing to the absence of Judge Seawell, who had not returned from a trip to San Francisco. Most matters in Judge Seawell's department were continued The disposition of the various cases were as follows:

Department 1.

Geo. Wheeler vs. Jas. H. Gray; H. Weber vs. L. J. Brunle et al.; H. S. Stephenson vs. M. F. Parsons; Green Valley Canners Co.; Detiles Gilardoni vs. John Gilardoni E. Salo vs. J. K. Smith et al; Miller & Sons Co. vs. John G. F. Kolling et al; Adams vs. Adams, all continued to December 11.

Wheeler vs. Gale, ten days to answer.

Department 2.

Kate E. Crystal, deceased, will admitted to probate, and Melvin R. Crystal appointed executor without bonds,

Floyd J. Potter et al. minor, letters of guardianship issued to Annie E. Potter, bond $200 each minor.

Calvin H. Doss et al., minors, letters of guardianship issued to Josephine I. Doss. bond $200 each minor.

William Arlsten, deceased, letters of adminlstration issued to William A. Arlsten, bond $500

Robert M. Lewis, letters of administration issued Roy C. Lewis, bond $5,500.

Estate Margaret D. King, deceased, first and final account settled an allowed; distribution ordered.

Estate Harry William Maderia, minor, first and final account settled and allowed; executor discharged.

Estate Josephine H. Gallagher, deceased, final account settled and allowed, distribution ordered.

Jargen Thor, deceased, final account settled and allowed.

Estate Manuel A. Raycroft, minor, first and final account settled aad allowed, guardian discharged.

Estate Matilda Daly, deceased, letters testamentary revoked.

Estate James Daly, substitution of George Daly for M. Daly as administrators continued to December 11 to be set.

Estate Martha A. Woolsey, incompetent; Edgar B. Clark, incompetent; Margaret Knolty, minor; James Hall, deceased, Charles F. Sherwood, deceased, continued to December 11.

The Civil Docket

Petition to terminate life estate of Marion Isabella O'Hwer, deceased, granted.

Socrates Investment Co. vs. F. D. Huntington et al., motion to dismiss answer of C. F. Plander granted and judgment entered in favor of defendant Socrates Consolidate Mining Co.

Mary Snyder vs. Gity of Petaluma, continued from December 14 to December 21.

E. Salo vs. John K Smith et al; Nettie M. Porterfield vs. C. B. Shaw; Lucy Reilly vs. Thomas Reilly, continued to December 11.

Mary Ann Hall vs. James B. Morris, continued to December 18.

G. Cordeau vs; J. G. Wright et al set for March 5, 1912.

B. M. Jones vs. Dolly Canessa, set for February 13.

C. E. Ogborn vs. Russian River L. & P. Co. set for January 26.

Congress in Session

Both houses of the sixty-first congress convened at noon Monday, in Washington, D. C. Practically every member of each house was in his seat.

A battery of cameras were placed in the galleries to take a picture of the opening of the house. Outside a moving picture machine clicked off the enterance of members to the capitol.

"It will be the most important session since the Civil War" is the prediction made by many Democratic leaders. 'Stirring days ahead." forecast by Republican members On both sides of the big party line. members in the house and senate are drawn up to fight out weighty problems of legislation in a session that will lead up to the Presidental campaign of 1912.

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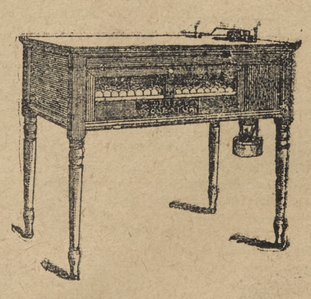

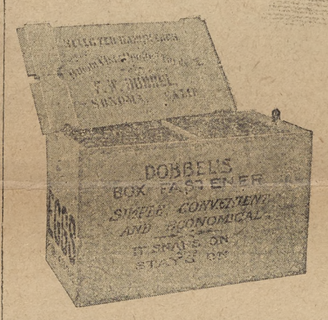

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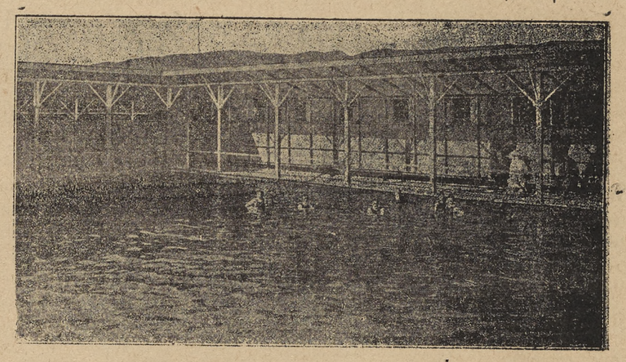

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President Taft's message to Congress was read before both houses Tuesday. It was anti trust in tone.

Want to know whose credit is good? Ask an editor, and in some cases it will be a relief to throw in a little family history also.

If you don't like the way public official conducts his office protest, that is your right. Show him where he is wrong, if you can. But do not boycott his business. there are more civilized ways of showing your disapproval.

Complete returns from the election at Los Angeles show that Mayor Alexander was re-elected by a majority of 31,685. Not a single Socialist candidate came within 25,000 votes of being elected. Prohibition was defeated by a majority of 54,653. It is believed that the women votes defeated prohibition.

While the fight is on at Sacramento over the reapportionment of the state into Congregational districts a report is being circulated that Duncan McKinlay will again try to land a seat in Congress, if not in his old district in which he will have Kent or some one else as his opponent, or in some other district with presumably more of his type of followers with him.

Lower Lake, in Lake county held an election last week, at which many women cast their ballots. It was a local optional election and the town went "wet." It had been dry for one year and the people determined to try the other side of the liquor question for a time. It was believed that with the women voting the town would continue dry, but this calculation was upset when the returns were counted.

McNamara's Confession

James B. McNamara who dynamited the Los Angeles Times building about a year ago penned a brief confession which was made public in court Tuesday, when he was up before Judge Bordwell for sentence. It is as follows;

"I, James B. McNamara, defendant in the case of the People, having heretofore plead guilty to the crime of murder, desire to make this statement of facts:

"And this is the truth: On the night of September 30, 1910, at 6:45 p. m., I placed in Ink alley, a portion of the Times building, a suitcase containing 16 sticks of 80 per cent. dynamite, set to go off at 1 o'clock the next morning.

"It was my intention to injure the building and scare the owners, I did not intend to take the life of any one. I sincerely regret that these unfortunate men lost their lives If the giving of my life would bring them back I would gladly give it. In fact in pleading guilty to murder in the first degree I have placed my life in the hands of the state.

(Signed) "James B. McNamara."

James B. McNamara, confessed murderer, was sentenced to life imprisonment in San Quentin, Tuesday and his brother John J. McNamara secretary of the International Association of Bridge and Iron Structural Workers, who confessed to the dynamiting of the Llewellyn Iron Works, was sentenced to fifteen years in the same penitentiary.

Plead Not Guilty

Augustin Olivero and Ghio Marruel, accused of having used a set net to secure fish, entered pleas of not guilty to the charge before Judge Thomas C. Denny on Monday. The case was continued until Monday next, when it will be set down for trial. The defendants appeared through their attorney, I. T. Chapman. The net is alleged to have been set in Sonoma creek.

Petaluma Poultry Show

The Fifth Annual Poultry Show and Carnival at Petaluma, opened yesterday at Dreamland Rink, the largest exhibition hall north of the bay. The Petaluma Poultry Show has long been recognized as the greatest in California, owing to the fact that Petaluma is the world's most famous poultry center. The shows have grown annually and now the annual exposition is regarded by all as the "big show" each year of the state.

With annual occurance of the exhibition new ideas are added and it has grown in this feature so that it now takes the place of the old time fairs, which years ago made Petaluma famous.

The street carnival, high grade concessions, all of a high moral tone strictlycensored, with battles of confetti, and numerous other attractions make it a gala week.

The show this year eclipse all previous records. There are more entries and more varieties of birds and especially so is noted the additional number of fancy fowls. At this show can be seen birds which have before never been shown at a California poultry show. A full military band renders music day and evening a Dreamland. There are free entertainments daily, includiug 24 trained fowls.

The judging was done before the opening of the show so that visitors may readily see and examine the winners, and the exhibitors have an opportunity of displaying their cups, ribbons and other trophies.

Installation and Banquet

Thnrsday in Masonic Temple a large crowd of invited guests witnessed the public installation of the officers of Valley of the Moon Chapter, No. 85, O. E.-S.

A musical program was rendered after the Installation which was much enjoyed as was the banquet and dancing.

The following officers were installed:

Mrs. Ed. Johannsen, W. M.; L. S. Simmons, W. P.; Mrs. H. F. Bates, A. M.; Mrs. L. S. Simmons, Cond.; Mrs. S Lewis, Asst. Cond.; Miss Mattie Goodman, Secy.; Miss Pemberton, Treas., Mrs. Wilson, Chaplain; Miss Doris Clewe, Organist; Mrs. H. W. Gottenberg, Marshal; Mrs. D. Volquardson, I. S; G. H. Hotz, O. S. The points of the star are: Mrs Bordson, Mrs. Minkle, Mrs. F. D. Bose, Dr. Francis Leix and Mrs. C. L. Newman.

Trinity Episcopal Church

Next Sunday services will be held as follows;—Sunday school at 10:30 a.m. At 11 a. m. church services and sermon, subject, "John the Baptist." At 5 p. m. vesper service, subject, "Ben Hur,—a Tale of the Christ."

At the annual meeting last Monday evening the following gentlemen were elected vestrymen for the coming year:—J. K. Bigelow, Dr. J. F. Bateman, W. F. Clewe, F. T. Duhring, J. McElney, G. H. Hotz and L. S. Simmons.

A Christmas tree and entertainment is being arranged for the Sunday school.

Death of a Child

Died in Oakland, December 2, 1911. Marie Carolina dearly beloved daughter of August and Annie Clerici. The remains were brought to Sonoma and private funeral was held from the residence of H. Castagnasso. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

Mr and Mrs. Clerici have many friends throughout the valley who will sympathize with them in their bereavement.

Strikes an Auto

Last Friday while John Piccetti was loading furniture at the depot, the horse belonging to the Sonoma Valley Furniture Company became frightened at the brewery wagon and made a break for liberty, racing along First Street East and thence along Napa street east and crashed into A. Beretta's auto, tearing off the fender and dashed on to Vineburg where he was overtaken by an auto and caught. Aside from the damage to the auto and smashing of a brass bed there was no serious injury.

E. R. LaValley is preparing to establish a line of automobile stages between Santa Rosa and Healdsburg, touching the towns between. He expects to have it in operation within one month.

City Council Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the city council was held in the City Hall last Wednesday evening with all members present and Mayor Cummings in the chair.

Minutes of previous meetings were read and approved as read with the exception of the minutes of the meetings of Dec. 2 and 4, which the city clerk was given more time to write.

Numerous bills were allowed.

The monthly reports of the Marshal and Recorder were read and referred to the finance committee.

City Engineer Newton V. V Smith was present and his detailed report of inspection of the sewer system and septic tank was read. Mr. Smyth recommended that the sewer system and septic tank be accepted by the city, and the board adopted a resolution to that effect and it was agreed that property owners be allowed to make connections thereto.

A warrant was ordered drawn for $385.03 as part payment for sewer pipe.

A warrant was ordered drawn for $786.53 as part payment on the septic tank.

Robert A. Poppe, in behalf of the High School Trustees, asked the board to give the grade for a stone curbing that is to be placed in front of the school grounds. He also asked that a crosswalk be put in on Lower Broadway.

Wm. F. Clewe asked the board to raise the crosswalk at the intersection of Broadway and Napa streets, and asked that the pile of dirt be removed from the front of his store. These matters were referred to the street committee.

An agreement relative to the purchase of a hose cart and 700 feet of hose was read and the committee on same was instructed to proceed along the necessary lines and purchase the hose and cart.

A resolution was adopted that a stone curb and gutter be constructed along Napa Street from First Street West to the French Laundry and Rambo's blacksmith shop.

The city marshal was instructed to interview the business men of Sonoma and ascertain the amount each will contribute monthly toward the salary of a night watchman and to report the results to the board.

The street committee was instructed to order the light company to move a pole about 20 feet that obstruct the view near the mission and the El Camino Real Bell.

F. D. Bose was appointed sewer inspector for the city of Sonoma.

No further business appearing the board adjourned.

Special Meeting Monday

Monday evening a special meeting of the Board of City Trustees was held to hear the evidence against G. Riegienni, charged with having given beer to boys under 18 years of age. Rev. Arthur B. Roberts was called and testified that he saw boys under his charge go in the saloon and that he heard a woman inviting others to enter. Three boys were called and testified that they were served with beer The boys also testified that they were under 18 years of age at that time. The defendant was sent for and admitted that he served the boys with beer The board found the defendant guilty as charged and had it entered on the minutes of the meeting. This bars him forever from securing a license to sell liquor in Sonoma.

Before the hearing was held it developed that said Riegienni's license had expired, that he had sold out to his son in law, and that the Council had at a special meeting granted the new owner a license to continue business at the old stand. This matter was the cause of a heated debate in which the spectators took part, the chairman of the Board recognising anyone who desired to address the Board. Rev. Roberts, Trustee Wagnon, J. K. Bigelow, and F. D. Duhring, critized the Board for its haste in acting in the matter, while Chairman M. C. Cummings defended its action, answering each of the speakers in turn.

Louie Adami

Word was received here from the Morton Hospital that Louie Adami passed away there at 4:45 a. m. Thursday.

He was a native of Italy and aged 55 years.

The remains will be shipped to San Jose for interment.

Louie was well known in this valley, having tended bar at Sonoma Grove. He leaves a host of friends here to mourn their loss.

A Lady's Diamond Ring Be Given Away at the Don Theatre

With each and every ticket sold he purchaser will receive a vote The votes are counted every Wednesday and Saturday and placed on a board in Simmons' window. Contest ends Saturday, December 23, at 6 p. m. 43tf.

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E. V. Meeker, residing at Camp Meeker, Cal.
R. T Meeker, residing at Camp Meeker, Cal.

Witness our hands this seventh day of October, 1911.

E. V. Meeker, Camp Meeker.
R. T. Meeker, Camp Meeker.

State of California, County of Sonoma, ss.

On this 7th day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven, before me personally appeared E. V. Meeker and R. T Meeker, known to me to be the persons whosu names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument and they acknowledge to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and the seal of my office this seventh day of October, 1911.

(Seal) Caroline L. Morgan,
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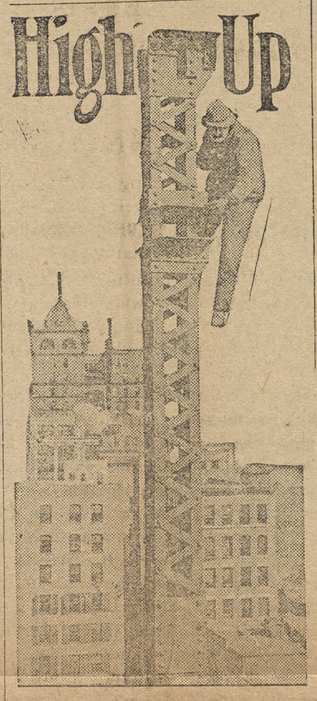

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1ST INSTALLMENT
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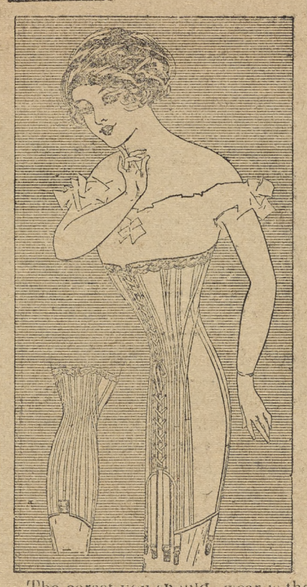
2nd INSTALLMENT
Due January 1, 1912, delinquent April 29, 1912
F. M. COLLINS
Tax Collector



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Leave Sonoma	DAILY	Arrive Sonoma
7:10 a m	San Francisco and San Rafael and	10:44 a m
3:13 p m	Intermediates	6:59 p m
10:44 am	Glen Ellen and intermediates	7:10 a m
7:10 a m	Novato, Petaluma, Santa Rosa & intermediates	9:44 a m
3:13 p m		6:59 p m
7:10 a m	Cloverdale Healdsburg, Lyton and	10:44 am
3:13 p m	intermediates	6:59 p m
7:10 a m	Ukiah and	10:44 a m
3:13 p m	intermediates	6:59 p m
10:44 am	Willits, Sherwood	6:59 pm
7:10 a m	Sebastopol and	10:44 a m
3:13 p m	intermediates	6:59 p m
7:10 a m	Guerneville and	10:44 a m
3:13 p m	intermediates	6:59 pm

Sundays, the afternoon train going south leaves Sonoma at 4:45.

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LOCAL ITEMS

John Piccetti visited Healdsburg Sunday.

Albert Grosskopf spent Sunday in the bay cities.

Wm. McElroy visited the metropolis Tuesday.

Fred Bullotti was a visitor to San Francisco Tuesday.

Wayn Batchelor departed for San Francisco Wednesday.

Have your clothes cleaned and pressed by Parrent, Sonoma.

Try our coffees. All prices—25, 30, 35 and 40 cents. Bordson & Nordstrom.

Richard Elder has sold the O. K. saloon to John Steiner.

Born to Prof. and Mrs. Bruce H. Painter in Berkeley, Dec. 1st, a son.

Miss Hallie Rambo, our compositor, has been on the sick list the past week,

Mrs. Pillig, of Los Angles is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Armstrong of El Verano.

Mr. George Fredericks, of San Francisco, made a pleasure trip to this valley the past week.

Jerome Johnson went to Lakeville Wednesday to receive several horses that were shipped in by steamer.

The articles left over from the fair belonging to the Golden Hour Club are now on sale at Simmon's drug store.

It is reported that a dancing school will soon be started in Sonoma. There many who will be pleased to hear this.

This valley received a glorious rain the first part of the week and now farmers can finish the long delayed plowing.

L. B. Lawson; expert optometrist, of the Lawson-Rinner Co., Sant Rosa, will be at the Union Hotea Thursday, Dec. 21. 48-2

Mr and Mrs. A. W. Lehrke, of San Francisco, and a party of friends spent several days last week autoing over Sonoma valley.

The annual meeting of the Equal Rights Association will meet next Monday at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Robert Poppe. All members are urged to be present.

Harry Meyers, of Santa Rosa presents us Vol. I, No. 1 of the "Santa Rosa Moose," a four column four page paper which will be issued monthly in the interests of the Moose.

A San Francisco real estate company have cut up the Carlson place, just back of the Gerricke place, into lots and are selling the same. They bring large crowds from the metropolis weekly.

All kinds of dressmaking done by experienced dressmaker. Also automobile caps made to order in the popular coffee bean stitch. Please call or write for particulars. Mrs. Hamilton, Vineburg. 47 1mp

When in town stop at the Sonoma Valley Furniture Co. and get a free guess at the big candle burning in the window, and win a prize. Do it quick—before guessing will be stopped. 42 tf.

Lumber has arrived for the erection of a large brooder house and other buildings on the Demonstration Farm of the Rixford ranch. A carload of pipe has also been hauled to the place and the new water system will be installed immediately.

P. F. McGill, who has been suffering from a felon on his right hand went to the city the fore part of the week and at the Southern Pacific Hospital had the first joint of his finger removed. Mrs. McGill accompanied her husband and they will remain in Oakland until Frank recovers from his injuries.

The basket ball game tomorrow night at Union Hall between the High School team and the Yerba Buena team of San Francisco, promises to be an exciting one. The home boys have been doing some hard training and are in for a hard contest. Be there early, game will be called at 8.15 sharp. Dacing after the game

The new stone bridge across Hooper creek, just above Agua Caliente, is completed and the county supervisors inspected it this week. Berriman & Anderson, the contractors did a first class job and in their endeavors to give the county full value more than lived up to their contract. The bridge is built of stone and was designed by Mr. C. Sherer, of this place. He has also recently prepared plans and specifications for a similar bridge to be built between Sonoma and Petaluma.

Following are the names of the contestants in the contest for the diamond ring to be given away at the Don Theatre and the votes each have received:

Miss Matilda Baccala	1810
Miss Jennie Poulson	1621
Miss Gertrude Breitenbach	893
Miss Anita Gassner	121
Miss Elvea Saylor	37

Saturday an entire train of thirteen cars containing cattle and sheep passed through the valley en route to Santa Rosa. One car of sheep consigned to the local firm of Lewis & Cummings was switched off at El Verano. The balance of the train, consisting of nine cars of beet cattle and three of sheep were consigned to Noonan Brothers of Santa Rosa.

How does this weather strike you? Couldn't be better. A fine, balmy summer day. Makes one want to to go swimming.

See Parrent for good clothes the Ladies' and Gents' tailor, 427 Napa St., Sonoma. 1tf.

Notes From Schellville Chicken Colony

Dr. Nourse is in the city again this week on business.

Messrs. Seward and Lacy, ate their Thanksgiving dinner with the Haines family.

Mrs. Lyman and Rolla had relatives visiting them several days over Thanksgiving.

The Colony received a small shipment of R. I. Red babies last week, and they are beauties.

John Bowers supplies the Colony with the Sunday papers from the city, which is a great accommodation.

Miss Elinor Haines came home to be with the home folks for Thanksgiving, after a prolonged visit in Oakland.

Everybody is home again from their Thanksgiving holiday, and everything is going merrily on in preparation for the Christmas days so soon to come.

Mrs. V. L. McNeely, of the Colony, but working in the city, came home for a week's visit over Thanksgiving, with her mother, Mrs Kennedy, and her little son Lores.

Dr. and Mrs. Nourse spent Thanksgiving in the city, with his sister and brother-in-law, who have just returned from a five year tour of business in far away China.

The "gentle rain" was not welcomed by the carpenters on the colony, as they did not have their two latest houses enclosed or the roofs on, but the farmers are rejoicing.

Mrs Dora Vaughan and son Carry, Mrs. Mary Vaughn and baby daughter and Mr. Harbine of Buena Vista, visited at the Kennedy and McNeeley home Thursday afternoon.

TERAGRAM K.

S. P. Takes Off Train

Monday saw the last of the double train service on the S. P. and on Tuesday the one train service was put on for the winter season. Trains leave El Verano as follows:

To San Francisco 6.49 a. m.
To Santa Rosa 10:15 a. m.
To San Francisco 3:23 p. m.
To Santa Rosa 6:28 p. m.

Victor Vitale

In Agua Caliente on the 4th, inst., occurred the death of Victor Vitale, aged 28 years. He was a native of Italy.

The remains were shipped to San Francisco and interred in the Italian cemetery.

Card of Thanks

We hereby desire to thank our friends and neighbors, for their kindness and sympathy and beautiful floral offerings extended to us in the sickness and death of our loving mother and grandmother.

MRS. P. HANSEN, and family.

Northern California Cadet Notes

Capt. Roberts returned Saturday from a trip to Ferndale.

Four of the Cadets spent Saturday in the tules hunting ducks.

The Cadet basket ball team No. 2 will play in Petaluma tonight.

The Cadets have enlisted several new cornet and clarinet players into their band.

Several Cadets were in the metropolis Saturday and Sunday on a pleasure trip.

Last Tuesday night the Cadets played waltzs and marches with great dexterity, and will probably give a concert in February.

Tomorrow night the Sonoma High school team will play Yerba Buena, of San Francisco, in Union Hall, Come and root.

Next week the Cadet basket ball team No. 1 will travel the northern part of the county and play in Cloverdale and Geyserville. So far the Cadets have won six games and lost one.

CADET.

Woman's Club Notes

The business meeting of the Woman's Club last Friday was of more than usual importance, as, after discussing ways and means, it was unanimously voted to empower the Executive Board to at once purchase the lot selected on First Street East.

The Club also voted unanimously to sustain the efforts of the Men's League in upholding law and order in this town, and trying to make it a more desirable place for homeseekers of worthy character.

Further arrangements were made for the grand ball to be given New Year's night, the proceeds of which will aid in paying for the new lot. The following ladies were put on the general committees of arrangements: Mesdames Emparan, Duhring, Hunter, Stofen, Campbell and Miss Goodman.

Next Friday will be Social Day, Mrs. J. Wagnon having charge of the program and Mrs B. F. Campbell being the hostess for the afternoon.

Some very artistic calendars will be on sale, illustrating the new Santa Rosa Club House, and making desirable Christmas gifts.

L. S. DUHRING.
Club Reporter.

Sonoma State Home Notes

Miss Etta Goodman spent Thanksgiving with her folks in Lodi.

Mrs. Inkstrom was called to Petaluma by the sudden death of her brother.

R. Q. Wickham and daughter, Laura, were taking in the sights and attending the opening of the legislature in the Capitol city Friday and Saturday. Mr. Wickham has not missed attending the opening of the legislature for the past 20 years. He acted as minute clerk for a number of years.

The new addition to the Manse Burax is being rushed to completion under the supervision of Foreman Case, and will probably be ready to occupy about the first of the year. When completed it will accommodate about 50 more boys.

Glen Ellen Notes

Mr. Arthur Drake, of Sonoma, spent a day of last week in Glen Ellen.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack London are spending a few days of this week in Oakland.

The Women of Woodcraft will give their next whist party on the evening of December 13th.

Miss Pheobe Monahan, of Glen Ellen, is staying with her sister, Mrs. Walter Nottingham, in Oakland

Work is progressing on the new drug store which will be occupied by Dr. Francis after January 1st.

Mrs. Louise Clark, who is studying art in Oakland, came home last week to remain over Thanksgiving She returned to Oakland Monday of this week.

Miss Frieda Hertzog, formerly of Glen Ellen, now of San Francisco, had the misfortune to fall while returning home from work and broke her ankle.

The Christmas time is coming and remember it is not merely a mercenary concern, and let us put away all false pride and ill will and get the real Christmas spirit in our hearts.

Contributor.

Miscellaneous Advertisements

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Reward—A one dollar reward will be paid for the return of a pair of nose glasses left last Friday night in Union Hall. Henry Watters.

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For Sale—Buggy and harness cheap. Inquire of Jack Still. 42 tf.

For Sale—A fine lot of young blue gum trees. Inquire Mrs Fisk, Broadway, Sonoma.

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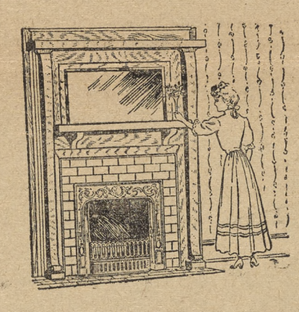

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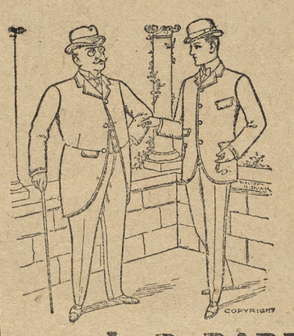

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HOME FROM A VOYAGE

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I courted Nance while I was goin' to sea, and a man courtin' a gal that way feels every time he comes back from a cruise that some feller has stepped in and carried her off, but Nance was as much set on me as I was on her, and every time I docked on a homecomin' she was standin' at the door of her father's cottage wavin' to me.

After we was married and we got into our own house around the point where the light stands, whenever I rounded it to make the harbor, there was Nance a-wavin' to me. But one time comin' in from a cruise when I rounded the point Nance wasn't there to wave to me. My heart sank down into my boots, for she could 'a' seen me miles out, and she knew the cut of my jib and the lurch of my ship as well as she knew her own mother.

Nance and I had been married five years without gettin' a kid. It was the only disappointment we had. Nance said and I knew that if she had a little one to keep her company when I was at sea she wouldn't be so lonesome. But the kid didn't come, and we began to feel that we was doomed to be one o' them couples that go through life makin' a baby out of a dog or a cat or some other animal.

But the day I got back and Nance wasn't at the door to wave to me I wasn't thinkin' about what I couldn't git, but what I feared I'd lost. The moment we touched the dock I turned the ship over to the first mate and steered a direct course to my house.

When I got there I found the door unlocked. This relieved me somewhat, for if my wife had died while I was at sea the house would 'a' been closed up. I went in, my heart beatin' with a hope o' seein' Nance either in the livin' room sewin' or in the kitchen or somewhere downstairs. But she was not there, and I made a dash upstairs for her bedroom. The door to that I found locked. I knocked, but got no answer. I could hear voices inside talkin' low, but nobody said anything to me. I hollered out:

"I want to know if my wife is dead or alive!"

Then a woman's voice, strange to me, said: "She's very much alive, but hasn't been well for a few days. She's all right. She saw the ship come in from her window."

"Well, why the dickens can't I come in and give her a hug?"

"It wouldn't do for you to come in just now. I can't explain why, but when we're ready for you we'll let you know."

"All right. I'm wanted at the ship. I'll go there and come back in a couple o' hours."

As I was goin' down the stairs I heard the funniest sound comin' from the room I ever heard. At first it reminded me of a distant foghorn, so far away that a man would have to strain his ears to hear it. Then I thought if wasn't like a foghorn neither. It was more like some one tryin' to talk with a sore throat. I didn't like the idea o' leavin' everything to my mate on just gettin' into port, so I didn't stop to make any more inquiries. I just went on across the point toward the dock.

Reachin' a high bit of land, I turned to take a look at the house I had left, kind a wonderin', and if I didn't see a man comin' out o' the front door I'll be jiggered! What did it mean? Here was I kept out o' my wife's bedroom and a man in the house. A horrible suspicion took possession of me. But with a gasp I got back my confidence in Nance, and then I remembered that the voice in the room with her was a woman's. So I just went right on to the ship.

I found that she had been docked without any accident, but there was a lot of things to do that can only be done by the master of a ship that's just come in from a cruise, and I didn't git away from the ship till the day was about over. Then I started back home, beginnin' again to wonder what was the meanin' of all the strange things that had happened. Somepin must a-gone wrong durin' my absence, and they was fixin' things up to break it to me.

When I walked into the house I heard some one in the kitchen and, goin' there, saw a young woman in a striped dress cookin' a bird. Nance wasn't the kind to spend money for such delicacies, and I marveled some more.

"See here," I said to the gal, "somepin gone wrong since I been away. A trouble has come into this house, and I want to know right off what's the matter."

By jing, she burst out a-larfin'.

"I reckon you'll find it some trouble," she said, "before you git through with it. Such happenin's always turn a house upside down. It's never the same place it was before. But wait a minute till I put this bird on a tray and we'll go upstairs."

Purty soon she started, I follerin'. On the way I heerd that hoarse talkin' sound ag'in. The young woman asked me to open the door, she holdin' the tray with both hands, and I saw Nance lyin' in bed lookin' pale, but smilin', and a nine pound lump o' flesh beside her.

Then I understood the hull scheme. She had planned a surprise for me. I jist took her and the little duffer in my arms, and that was the happiest moment o' my life.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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BREVITIES

An accident last Friday morning at the McNear ware house in Petaluma injured two men seriously. They were engaged in loading a truck and were standing near a pile of Egyptian corn, when without warning the sacks fell burying the two men underneath their weight. One man, Peter Leonardo, received a broken leg. The other, John Hallenbarter was badly bruised and crushed and received internal injuries but no bones were broken.

Lightening Kills Few

In 1906 lightening killed only 169 people in this whole country. One's chances of death by lightening are less than two in a million. The chance of death from liver, kidney or stomach trouble is vastly greater, but not if Electric Bitters be used, as Robert Madsen, of West Burlington, Ia., proved. Four doctors gave him up after eight months of suffering from virulent liver trouble and yellow jauntice. He was then completely cured by Electric Bitters. They're the best stomach, liver, nerve and kidney remedy and blood purifier on earth. Only 50 cents at all druggists.

F. K. Holman of Occidental recently had a valuable young horse shot in the leg by some careless hunter. The animal is seriously injured. A small boy of Occidental recently shot his arm away and bled to death.

Where the Locality Does Not Count

Wherever there are people suffering from kidney and bladder ailment from backache, rheumatism and urinary irregularities, Foley Kidney Pills will help them. Belvidere, Ill., E. A. Kelley, an ex-engineer, says: Three years ago my kidneys became so bad that I was compelled to give up my engine and quit. There was a severe aching pain over the hips, followed by an inflammation of the bladder, and always a thick sediment. Foley Kidney Pills made me a sound and well man. I can not say too much in their praise." James McEiney, Model Pharmacy.

Sebastopol is to have a $7,500 Carnegie library. The conditions are those usually imposed. The town must raise by tax $750 a year to maintain the library, the lot must be donated or purchased by the town. In this case the town owns a fine lot on the main street. The plans must be approved by Mr. Carnegie as suitable for the purpose and must be free to the public.

Ends Winter's Troubles

To many, winter is a season of trouble. The frost bitten toes and fingers, chapped hands and lips, chilblains, cold sores, red and rough skins, prove this. But such troubles fly before Bucklen's Arnica Salve. A trial convinces. Greatest healer of Burns, Boils, Piles, Cuts, Sores, Bruises, Eczema and Sprains. Only 25 cents at all druggists.

L. J. Adams of Petaluma accused of stealing four cases, containing 120 dozen eggs from J. H. Tierman of Liberty station and disposing of them in Petaluma, was convicted of burglary in the second degree in Judge Seawell's department last week.

A Terrible Blunder

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Three Santa Rosa milk dealers plead guilty of putting water in their milk and two were fined $25 each, and the third $30.

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An idea of the number of hunting licenses that are sold in Sonoma county in any one year can be gathered from the fact that in four months and a half since the first of July, County Clerk Felt has sold and accounted to the State Treasurer for $4,500 worth of licenses, and there will be about $400 more to be sent ahead. So that Sonoma county will have sold practically $5,000 worth of licenses to hunters.

Saved His Wife's Life

"My wife would have been in her grave today," writes O. H. Brown, of Muscadine, Ala., "if it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery. She was down in her bed, not able to get up without help. She had a severe bronchial trouble and a dreadful cough. I got her a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, and she soon began to mend, and was well in a short time." Infallible for coughs and colds, its the most reliable remedy on earth for desperate lung trouble, hemorrhages, lagrippe, asthma, hay fever, croup and whooping cough. Guaranteed by all dealers.

Reports of a big run of steelhead in Paper Mill creek tidewaters near Point Reyes station attracted many anglers to that resort recently. Reports, however were not up to expectation despite the fact that fish had been observed rolling in the White Horse Pool and elsewhere.

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Down in Santa Clara county recently two young boys who were out hunting admitted that they had deliberately shot a man passing in an automobile and the man died from his injuries. They also confessed to having shot a number of farm animals, because they could find no other game at which to shoot.

Without opiates quick or harmful drugs of any kind Foley's Honey and Tar Compound stops coughs and cures colds. Do not accept any substitute. James McElney, Model Pharmacy.

The new steam and electric plant at the County Farm installed at a cost of nearly $20,000, is now complete and in operation much to the comfort and satisfaction of all at the County Hospital.

An Alarm at Night

That strikes terror to the entire household is the loud, hoarse and metallic cough of croup. No mistaking it, and fortunate then the lucky parents who keep Foley's Honey and Tar Compound on hand. H.W. Casselman, Canton, N. Y. says: "It is worth its weight in gold. Our little children are troubled with croup and hoarseness, and all we give them is Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. I always have a bottle of it in the house." James McElney, Model Pharmacy.

E. R. LaValley is preparing to establish a line of automobile stages between Santa Rosa and Healdsburg, touching the towns between. He expects to have it in operation within one month.

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Some Verbal Slips.

Without being a pedant one may note many inaccuracies in the use of words in his own speech and in that of others. Perhaps "excuse" for "pardon" is the most common of these, not to consider mere malapropisms or murders of the king's English. "Anxious" used where "eager" is meant is another frequent error, and more often "secure" is spoken incorrectly than correctly. Ordinarily when "procure" or "get" is intended "secure" is said. These instances do not come within even the category of distorted synonyms. They are simply words misapplied. Of practically synonymous terms which have different shades of meaning the misuses of ordinary conversation and of writing are innumerable. But to find fault with most of these latter wants of precision would be priggish. It is a profitable mental exercise to study at times a book of synonyms or a thesaurus. The book stores and libraries will be glad, besides, to guide the wayfarer to many books of verbal purities.—Kansas City Star.

The Little Word "Yes."

"Yes" is a simple word spelled with three letters.

It has caused more happiness and more unhappiness than any other word in the language.

It has lost more money for easy lenders than all the holes in all the pockets in the world.

It has started more dipsomaniacs on their career than all the strong liquor on earth.

It has caused more fights than all the "You're a liars" that ever were spoken.

It has procured kisses and provoked blows.

It has defeated candidates and elected scoundrels.

It has been used in more lies than any other expression.

It is not meant half the time it is said.

Will it continue to make such a record?

Yes.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Fame can never make us lie down contentedly on a deathbed.—Pope.

"Best on Earth"

This is the verdict of R. J. Howell, Tracy, O., who bought Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for his wife. "Her case was the worse I have ever seen, and looked like a sure case of consumption. Her lungs were sore and she coughed almost incessantly and her voice was hoarse and weak. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound brought relief at once and less than three bottles effected a complete cure." James McElney Model Pharmacy.

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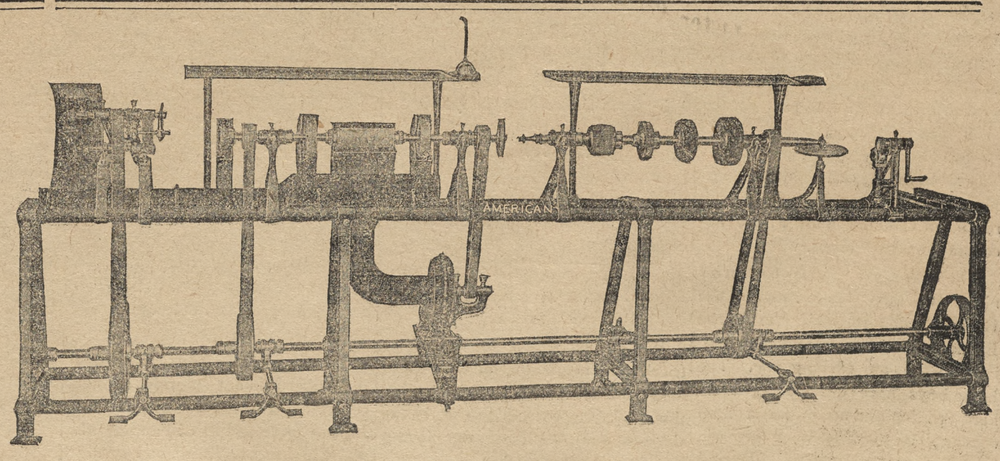

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